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## Summary Information

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| <b>Repository</b> | Center for Legislative Archives, National Archives and Records Administration |
| <b>Title</b>      | Records of the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence                     |
| <b>Date</b>       | 1977-1978   |
| <b>Extent</b>     | 2.8 Cubic feet (7 archival boxes)   |
| <b>Language</b>   | English   |

## **Biographical/Historical note**

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The Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence is the primary committee in the U.S. House of Representatives charged with the oversight of the United States Intelligence Community. The committee was preceded by the Select Committee on Intelligence between 1975 and 1977. House Resolution 658 established the permanent select committee, which gave it status equal to a standing committee on July 14, 1977.

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## **Scope and Contents note**

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Due to the extreme sensitivity of the records created by the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, the committee has few records that are unclassified and retained permanently by the committee. Therefore, the scope and content of the records is limited to the published work of the committee, including press releases and printed hearings and reports.

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## **Arrangement note**

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Due to the small amount of records permanently retained by the committee, the records are arranged into a single series, committee papers.

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## **Administrative Information**

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### **Publication Information**

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### **Rule VII**

The records are governed by Rule VII(3)b of the House Rules: (b) (1) A record shall immediately be made available if it was previously made available for public use by the House or a committee or a subcommittee. (2) An investigative record that contains personal data relating to a specific living person (the disclosure of which would be an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy), an administrative record relating to personnel, or a record relating to a hearing that was closed under clause 2(g)(2) of rule XI shall be made available if it has been in existence for 50 years. (3) A record for which a time, schedule, or condition for availability is specified by order of the House shall be made available in accordance with that order. Except as otherwise provided by order of the House, a record of a committee for which a time, schedule, or condition for availability is specified by order of the committee (entered during the Congress in which the record is made or acquired by the committee) shall be made available in accordance with the order of the committee. (4) A record (other than a record referred to in subparagraph (1), (2), or (3)) shall be made available if it has been in existence for 30 years.

## Committee papers

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# Collection Inventory

### **Committee papers (7 archival boxes)**

#### **Scope and Contents note**

Press releases; bill files; hearings, meetings, and reports of the full committee and subcommittee; monthly activity reports; disclosure of funds for intelligence activities; and tally sheets for 1977-1978.